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SUGIYAMA et al.

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# INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.97 & §1.98

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

April 1, 1996

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, Applicant is submitting herewith copies of the documents listed in the attached form equivalent to Form PTO-1449 for the Examiner's consideration.

This information disclosure statement is being submitted <u>before</u> the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits.

To the extent that, the documents listed on the attached form equivalent to Form PTO-1449, are not in the English language, the requirement of 37 CFR §1.98(a)(3) for a concise explanation of the relevance is satisfied by the discussion of these documents in the specification.

It is respectfully requested that this Information Disclosure Statement be considered by the Examiner.

Please charge any shortage in the fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (referencing Case No. 500.31617CX1) and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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4338 (Indicated on PAIR)

# **INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR §§1.97 & 1.98**

Commissioner for Patents POB 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

3 November 2004

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, Applicant hereby submits the attached information for consideration by the Office under 37 C.F.R. §§1.97 and 1.98 in the present application, and <u>for printing on the face of any patent issuing hereon</u>, as listed on the attached Form PTO-1449.

The attached references were first cited in a Communication issued by the Japanese Patent Office (JPO) on 3 August 2004 in a Japanese application corresponding to the above case, *i.e.*, not more than three (3) months prior to the filing of this Statement.

This Statement is being submitted before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits in the above-identified application. In the event that this

Statement crosses the mailing date of an Action on the merits for this case, the statement under 37 CFR §1.97(e) is made above.

In accordance with 37 CFR §1.98(a)(3), also attached is an English language Abstract for the cited JP reference.

It is respectfully requested that this Statement be considered by the Examiner, and that an initialed copy of the attached Form PTO-1449 being returned to Applicant as indication of entry and consideration of the listed JP reference.

No fees are required or appropriate for this Statement, and no Petition for extension of time is possible.

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

18 April 2005

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, Applicant hereby submits the attached information for consideration by the Office under 37 C.F.R. §§1.97 and 1.98 in the present application, and <u>for printing on the face of any patent issuing hereon</u>, as listed on the attached Form PTO-1449.

Applicant states that the attached references were first cited in a Communication issued by the Japanese Patent Office (JPO) on 18 January 2005 in a Japanese patent application corresponding to the above case, *i.e.*, not more than three (3) months prior to the filing of this Statement.

In accordance with 37 CFR §1.98(a)(3), also attached is an English language Abstract for the cited JP references.

This Statement is being submitted under 37 CFR §1.97(b), before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits in the above-identified application. In the event that this Statement crosses the mailing date of an Action on the merits for this case, the statement under 37 CFR §1.97(e) is made above. Accordingly, no other requirements are necessary under 37 CFR §1.97(c) for entry and consideration of the attached information.

It is respectfully requested that this Statement be entered and considered by the Examiner, and that an initialed copy of the attached Form PTO-1449 be returned to Applicant as an indication of such entry and consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

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20 April 2004

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The attached Japanese (JP) reference was first cited in a Communication issued by the Japanese Patent Office (JPO) on 20 January 2004 in a foreign application corresponding to the above case, *i.e.*, not more than three (3) months prior to the filing of this Statement.

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#### **SUBMISSION WITH FORM PTO-1449(s)**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

May 18, 2000

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, Applicant is submitting herewith the enclosed item(s) listed in the enclosed Form(s) PTO-1449, such corresponding to item(s) disclosed in a Notice of Reason for Rejection dated March 21, 2000, issued in the corresponding Japanese application.

Please charge any shortage in the fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (referencing Case No. 500.31617CX1) and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

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